

## **AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2002, kindly amend the present application as follows:

### **In the Abstract**

On page 3, line 8, please delete "FIG. 3" and replace with --FIG.7--.

On page 4, line 20, please delete "tuning" and replace with --turning--.

On page 5, line 5, please delete "into."

### **In the Claims**

Please cancel Claims 16 and 20.

Please amend Claims 1-3, 5-9, 11-15 and 17-19 as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A sound generating apparatus comprising:

[an] a protective article [adapted to be] worn [on] over and completely  
covering a user's hand;

an electronic assembly attached to said protective article, said electronic

assembly having means for generating sound and

[means for generating sound within said electronic assembly; and]

means for allowing the user to rapidly and repeatedly actuate and de-

actuate said means for generating sound [within said electronic

assembly].

2. (Currently Amended) The sound generating apparatus as specified in Claim 1,

wherein said protective article is a glove.

3. (Currently Amended) The sound generating apparatus as specified in Claim 1,